CLAIMS

1. A medical instrument comprising:

a first part and a second part which are connected together by a connecting device;

wherein the first part comprises a retaining chamber for the second part and the second part is seated on the first part by means of at least one spigot and spigot-seating connecting arrangement in the retaining chamber.

- 2. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein the second part is connected to the first part by means of spigot and spigot-seating connecting arrangements on opposite sides of the retaining chamber.
- 3. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 2 wherein the spigot and spigot-seating connecting arrangements on opposite sides of the retaining chamber are in alignment.
- 4. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein the second part is connected to the first part via the connecting device in rotatable manner.
- 5. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein a spigot and spigot-seating connecting arrangement is in the form of a swivel joint.
- 6. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein the thickness of the second part is adapted to the height of the retaining chamber.
- 7. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein a spigot seating is arranged on the first part and a corresponding spigot is arranged on the second part.
- 8. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein a spigot seating is arranged on the second part and a corresponding spigot is arranged on the first part.

- 9. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein a spigot seating has an associated insertion recess from which a spigot is adapted to be pushed into the spigot seating.
- 10. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 9, wherein an insertion recess is tapered with a decreasing aperture in the direction of the spigot seating.
- 11. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein a spigot is tapered in a direction of insertion into a spigot seating.
- 12. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein the first part is manufactured from a synthetic material
- 13. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein the second part is manufactured from a synthetic material.
- 14. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein a spigot seating is closed with respect to the exterior.
- 15. A medical instrument in accordance with Claim 1, wherein a spigot seating is open with respect to the exterior.